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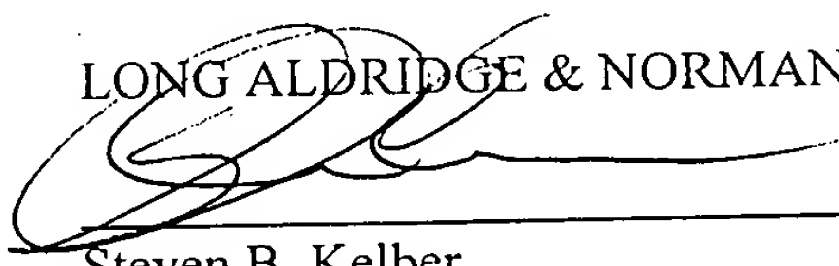
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The paper copy of the Sequence Listing in this application (as submitted in a concurrently filed Preliminary Amendment) is identical to the computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing of record in application Serial No. 09/080,285 filed May 18, 1998 (with the exception of the information the Examiner is requested to update below). In accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e), please use the last-filed computer-readable form in parent application Serial No. 09/080,285 as the computer-readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date and update the correspondence address and attorney/agent information, including docket number, as indicated on the paper copy in the Preliminary Amendment. A copy of the first page of the Sequence Listing highlighting the fields with information to be updated is attached hereto for the Examiner's convenience.

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